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Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 160.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction. to be held on the Spot, on WEDNESDAY. the 17th day of April, 1889, at 5 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 6th April, 1889.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auc-

tion Sale, to be held on WEDNESDAY. the 17th day of April, 1889, at 5 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Boundary Quanter Re-N. B. E. W. ft. ft. ft. ft. \$ \$ Rural Plants-Building tion Road, 160 160 160 160 30,000 110 3000 Lat (near the No. 75 Transway)

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. . PIANO, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY.

the 20th April, 1889, at 2.30 p.m., No. 13, Seymour Terrace, the Residence of C. C. MAISCH, Esq.,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS comprising:-

ENGLISH-MADE WHATNOTS, CHIPPENDALE MERROR and CHIPPENDALE CABINET, PIC-TURES, ENGRAVINGS, BRASS FENDER, &c., will not be recognised.

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Two Double Brass Bedstrads with WIRE and HAIR MATTRESSES, LADY'S WARDROBE and PLATE GLASS DOOR, CHEVAL GLASS. MARBLE-TOP WASHING STANDS and DRESSING TABLES, BEDROOM SUITE.

Lady's Iron Evening Chair, &c., &c. Catalogues will 'vissued previous to the

TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 13, 1889.

Intimations.

No. 7, WYNDHAM STREET. COMPORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN.

MODERATE TERMS. MRS. KJELLER, Proprietress. Hongkong, January 26, 1889.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

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Notices of Firms.

ACE CURTAINS

NOTICE. WE have This Day admitted Mr. REUBEN GUBBAY a PARTNER in our Firm. BENJAMIN & DANBY.

Hongkong, April 1, 1889. NOTIUE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. JULES KEISER in our Firm

CEASED on the 28th February last. CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co. Hougkong, April 4, 1889. AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL & BUILDING

COMPANY, LIMITED, DURING the Temporary Absence of Mr. JOHN ANDREW from the Colony Mr. JOHN WILLMOT' has been appointed Acting Secretary to the Company.

J. D. HUMPHREYS, Chairman. Hongkong, 11th March, 1889.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP CALEDONIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ox Steamships Manche and Ebre, from Havre ox-Steamship Ebre and from Bordeaux ex Steamship Ryriand des Vergues, in connection with the above Steamer. are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Opium, Treasuroand Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns at

Bowrington, whence delivery may be ob- SUNDAY, the 21st Instant. tained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will beforwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consigness before 10 a.m., To-MORROW (Friday), requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned Goods remaining unclaimed after Far-DAY, the 19th April, 1889, at Noon, will be

one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 20th April, or they

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent Hongkong, April 11, 1889. INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Wingsang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the Hongkons AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whence delivery may be Cargo remaining undelivered after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages no later than the 25th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. .

Hongkong, April 11, 1889.

Shipping. Steamers.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND

BANGKOK. The Company's Steamer Phra Unom Captain W. H. Warron, will be despatched for the THIRSDAY, - the 18th

above Ports on THURSDAY,- the 18th Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

YUEN FAT HONG. Agents. Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (Calling at OOLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship

will leave for the above places on the 18th Instant, at Noon. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent

Hongkong, April 12, 1889.

P. & O. S. N. Co. 6 Office.

Shipping.

Steamers. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA

The Co.'s Steamship Wingsang, WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant, at 3 p.m. This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

General Managers. Hongkong, April 12, 1889.

Nanzina. Captain Talbor, will be WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 15, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain M. Eigher, will leave for the above Ports General Werder.

on or about the 19th Instant. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship Captain J. MERCELL, will leave for the above place

German Mail. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents Hongkong, April 15, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Ourgo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEROO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. Huromson, will be despatched as above on

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, April 15, 1889. THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE subject to rent, and landing charges at (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TASKANIA. NEW ZEALAND, &c.)

> For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co... Managers. Hongkong, April 13, 1889.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Corgo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Catterioun.

Ports on TUESDAY the 23rd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hougkong, April 18, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND

HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to

DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship

Dept. G. Permann, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 10 s.m. For Freight or Pausge, apply to

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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- Bean & Black, San Fran-LAUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTOE, Mel-

bourne and Sydney.

CEYLON: W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECABLES Co. Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRATTS, &c. :- SAVLE & will be held at the CLUB HOUSE, on Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINSZEN THURSDAY, the 25th April, at 4.30 p.m.
By Order. OHINA .-- Macaou F. A. DR CRUZ. Seoqtow, Quelch & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle.

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Banks.

NOTICE.

BAVINGS' BANK. 1.—The business of the above Bank will Proximo. be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours

on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 2.4 Sams less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will, not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

in any one year. -Depositors in the Savings' Bank having at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4. Interest at the rate of St per cent. per 9. Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

their daily balances. with a Pass-Book which must be pre- Extraordinary Meeting of the Company sented with each payment or with- held on the 4th April instant, will be subdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about

ning of July. 6. Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7 -Withdrawals may be made on demand

depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the -Hongrong & Shangeat Banking CORPORATION,

G. E. NOBLE,

but the personal attendance of the

Ohief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1889. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. Reserve Lilentary of Pro. \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. Forbes, Esq. Deputy Chairman-H. L. DALBYMPLE, Esq. Hon. JOHN BELL- | S. C. MICHAELSEN, IRVING. W. G. BROTHE, Esq. J. S. Mosne, Haq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. L. POINECKER, Esq.

J. F. HOLESDAY, Esq. N. A. SIEBH, Esq. Hon. B. LATTON. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER MANAGER. Shanghai, Ewan Canthon, Esq.

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NOTICE THE THIRD CALL of \$10 per SHARE,

Due on the 2nd Imant. must be Paid at the OFFICE of the Company, Podder's Street, with INTEREST of 12 PER CERT per Annum from the 3rd Instant, in accordance with Article No. 38 of the THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE Company's Articles of Association.

A. G. GORDON, Secretary. Hopgkong, April 13, 1889. 706 COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

It materially aid the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the Auce MENORIAL HOSPITAL (1) (dies dans (for massum purposes). (2) Illustrated Papers and Books for the

JANUS JANILLE,
There See, to the College.

Sindent's Reading Room and Library.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG MASONIC CLUB, LIMITED.

FITHE Annual General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the abovenamed Company will be held in the MASONIC CLUB, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th April,

at 5.30 p.m. By Order of the Board. W.T. HATHERLEY,

Secretary. Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

HONGRONG, OLUB. THE Third Yearly General MEETING D of the MEMBERS of the CLUB

C. H. GRACE.

TO OUTS AND SHOES.

Hongkong, April 16, 1889.

large DINING HALL.

and SMOKING ROOMS.

Bongkong, September 16, 1885.

Queen's Road (opposite Hongkong Hotel),

Hongkong, January 14, 18-9

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 11, 1889.

Intimations.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG,

No. 1165.

MASON'S HALL Zetland Street, THIS

EVENING, the 16th Inst., at 8.30 for 9

p.m., precisely. Visiting Bretheen are

THE HONGKONG LAND

INVESTMENT AND AGENCY,

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX.

ING of the Company will be held at the

Company's REGISTERED OFFICE in Victoria

Buildings, No. 7, Queen's Road Central,

and business of which Meeting will ie to

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Statutory General MEETING of

NOTICE

HARLES BORHAM, Steward of the

ROYAL NAVAL STAMAN'S CLUB, IS DIG-

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A. S. WATSON & Co., Shanghai.

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Hongkong, April 6, 1889.

Hongkong, April 12, 1889.

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Hongkong, April 12, 1880.

Instant, at 0.30 p.m.

TRAORDINARY General MEET-

ALEXANDER LEVY.

Secretary (pro. tem.)

O. MOONEY.

Scoretary (pro tem.)

cordially invited

"Hongkong, April 16, 1889.

Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in the FREE-

Continental languages are spoken

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. First Interim BONUS of TWENTY A PER CENT. upon Contributions for DULES OF THE HONGKONG the year 1888 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application at | THI Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central the above Office on and after the let

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. 723 The Accommodation and Service of every and will be found to be of the best description. Horgkong, April 15, 1889.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHTE DUA

SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the ORDINARY General MEETING of Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Cor- the PUNION AND SUNGHEE DUA SAMANTAN poration on fixed deposit for 12 months | MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. annun will be allowed to depositors on SATURDAY, the 20th day of April, at 4.30 o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the sub-6. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis joined Resolution, which was passed at the

mitted for Confirmation as a Special Reso-RESOLUTION. the beginning of January and begin- That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$600,000 legally current in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members registered on the Day of the Confirmation of the Resolution in proportion to existing Shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be desmed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom

such notice is given that he declines to scept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion. Dated the 4th day of April, 1889. By Order of the Board,

A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA BAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. ATOTICE is hereby given that if the Bove mentioned Resolution for the increase of the Capital of the Company be confirmed, the SHARE R GISTER of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th day of April to the 12th day of May next, both inclusive.

A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. NOTICE

Dated the 4th day of April, 1889.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOR COMPANY, LIMITED. Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the HIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are 23rd April, at 12 o'Clock Noon, the objects respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of enbmit for Confirmation the Special Resothe Company's FOREMEN should be at lution passed at the Meeting held This Day. hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HIAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found

signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of disralisfaction. D. CHLIES. 1458 the CITY HALL, on SATURDAY, the 27th Hongkong, August 25, 1885

necessary, Communication with the Under-

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY HIMPPED. NOTICE is hereby given that the Statu-IV tory General MEETING of the above Campany will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 62, Queen's Road, on WED. NESDAY, the 24th Inst, at 5 o'Clock p.m. pared TO GIVE \$50 to any Person who C. EWENS, can prove that he has Purchased BEER or

General Manager.

678 whose Bills he presented to the General Hongkong, April 9, 1889. COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL.

REGISTERED OFFICE-37 & 39, QUEEN'S Road, Honorong. THE Fourth Ordinary General MEET-ING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's HEAD CYPICE. 13. Nanking Boad, SHAYCHAL, at 11 o'Clock ESIDENTS in the Colony would in the Forencen of BATURDAY, April 27th, 1889, when the Report and Accounts for the year ended, 28th February, 1889, will be presented.
The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED

from the 22nd to 27th Instant (both days

By Order of the Directors,

W. HAYWARD, Shanghai, 5th April, 1889.

HATS.

W. POWELL & Co.

Intimations THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

1 facture Machine-Pressed BUILDING BRICKS of Superior Quality, in WHITE OF RED CLAY. Also SPECIALITIES, such as STRING COURSES, WINDOW HEADS, RIDGES.

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Apply to Secretary.

Bank Buildings.

Hongkong, 13th April, 1889.

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers. Hongkong, April 9, 1889. THE HONGKONG

LIMITED.

Board of Directors: HON. J. BELL-IRVING, CHAIRMAN. HON. O. P. DHATER, VICE-CHAIRMAN. MR. E. A. SOLOMON. MR. S. C. MICHAELSEN,

Bankers

formed are to transact in the Colony The fullest information can be had on

BANKING CORPORATION.

of Hongkong and its Dependencies, the Purchases and Sales of Property, to advance monies on Mortgage, to undertake the Management and Agency of Estates, and generally to carry on any Business in connection with Landed Property. application at the Company's Orrices, No.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

7. Queen's Roid Central. ALEXANDER TEVY.

MHIS Company is now prepared to Manu-

DELIVERY

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LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY,

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$2,500,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL,..... 1,250,000

Mr. G. E. NOBLE, Mr. LEE SING. Mr. POON PONG.

THE Objects for which this Company are

Scoretary (Pro. tom.) Victoria Buildings, 964 Hongkong, 18th March, 1889.

PUBLIC AUCTION

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Hongkong, April 1, 1889

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STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

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Hongkong, April 15, 1889. NOTICE.

about 24 hours after arrival with the outward

The British Steamer Captain Gotores, will have quick despatch as Fare to Sydney or Malbourns, \$150

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

Captain DAREE, will be despatched for the above

. AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-

SIRMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, April 15, 1889. 715 THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

The Co. 'a Steamship Wingshow.
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Wingshow. above on or about the 25th Indant

Hongkong, April 12, 1889.

Houghoug, August 7, 1880.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

4 p.m.-Nanzing leaves for Mauila, &c.

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tles will be found invaluable.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

The publication of this issue commenced

The China Etlail.

HONGRONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1889.

LUCAL AND GENERAL.

Passed Surz Canal.

TUTWARD BOUND :- Badsworth. February

19; Spindrift, 22; Wakefield, March 6

Nantes, 8; Iser, 15; Monaich, 19:

Euphrates, 26; Anchises, Natal, Kirk-

lands, April 2; Agamemnon, Denbigh-

shire, Glenogle, Duke of Buckingham,

Cambodia, Camandra, 5; Oopack, Port

Fairy, Sarpedon, 9; Glenfruin, Devon-

OMEWARD BOUND:-Hesperia, Westmeath,

Mar. 12 : Riversdale, 15 : Strathleven,

22; Achilles, Amphitrite, April 2

Menclaus, 5; Sachsen, Carmarthenshire,

Iphigenia, 9; Antenor, Djemnah, 12.

with the American Mail of March 20.

leaves Yokohama on the 11th instant,

at daylight, and may be expected here

on or about Wednesday, the 17th inst.

from Vancouver, left Yokohama on the

10th inst. for Nagasaki, Shanghai and

steamship Bayers, with the next out-

ward GERMAN MAIL, dated Berlin, 19th

Mar., left Singapore on Saturday, the

13th instant, at 11 a.m., and may be

expected here on or about Thursday,

don, &c., left Singapore on the 11th

instant, and may be expected here on

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 13th

burg, left Singapore on the 14th iest.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Orestes, from

The Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Batavia,

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Hongkong, December 12, 1888

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRINDISI, TRIESTF VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND

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Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Ten and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo.

For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & OUENTAL STEAM NAVOA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.

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To-day's Advertisements.

UNION CHURCH TIME Annual General MEETING MEMBERS and SEATHOLDERS

DAY, 18th April, at 7 o'Clock. R. H. KIMBALL, $-Hon.\ Secretary.$ Hongkong, April 16, 1889.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION CUSTOM HOUSE. Kowloon, 15th April, 1889.

IN FRIDAY NEXT, the 19th Instant, () being Good FRIDAY, this OFFICE and the OPIUM EXAMINATION HULK will be CLOSED to the Transaction of all Business: Unt work at the Customs Stations ! milly over I am usual.

F. A. MORGAN. Commissioner of Customs. for Kowloon and Districts. BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinauce No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant (Good Friday), and on MONDAY, DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA.

the 22nd Instant (EASTER MONDAY). For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ing Corporation,'

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris.' CHANTREY INCHBALD. Agent, Hongkong.

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited. E. W. RUTTER, Manager, Hangkong.

Hongkong, April 16, 189 U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUGHING AT YOROHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

'IHE U.S. Mail Steamship (MTY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama on THURS-DAY, 2nd May, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States,

and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havans, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted England, France, and Germany by al trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To San Francisco \$200.00 To San Francisco and return,] 350.00 available for 6 months To Liverpool 325.00 To London

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Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or

Fushiki Maru, for Kutchinotzu. Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fores from China and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until

p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Package: should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to points beyond San Francisco. 602 in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central, C. D. HARMAN,

Agent.

To-day's Advertisements.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER

A CENT. upon Contributions for the year 188 · has been declared. the 1st May. By Or ler of the Board,

> N. J. EDE. Hongkong, April 16, 1989 FOR SHANGHAL

The Steamship Captain G. HEUBHMANN, above Port on THURSDAY, the 18th Instant, at 4 p. in

For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1889

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Co 's Steamship Hailoong, Captain Rosen, will be despatched for the above Paylight For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers Hongkong, April 16, 1889

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS FOR KOBE (DIRECT.)

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ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 16, 1889.

OCRAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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Captain RILEY, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 21th Instant For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 16, 48/9

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ornamental stoneware for household

Hongkong, April 15, 1889.

SHIPPING ARRIVALS. April 16, 1889 :-

Peking, Germansteamer, from Whampoa. Cyclops, Britishsteamer, 1,406, H. Nish Shanghai via Swatow, April 11, 6 a.m. General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Benalder, British steamer, 1,288, R. W

homson, Glasgow via London February and Singapore April 10, General .-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Asagao, Japanese steamer, 1,568, Trennt Nagasaki April 11, Coal. -ORDER. Sungkiang, British steamer, from Wham

Deccan, British steamer, 2,022, F. Cole řekohama April 4, General. -P. & O. S

Cicero, British sleamer, 1,030, A. George, Saigon April 12, Rice and Paddy. -- CHINESE.

- DEPARTURES. - April 16 :-fushiki Maru, for Kutchinotzu. leander, British muiser, for Singapore. Alacrity, Brit. despatch-vesselfor Singapore Impérieuse, British frigate. for Singapore. Li Kin, Chinese gunboat, for a cruise. Clyde, for Shanghai. Thebet, for Yokohima. Uyclops, for Singapore and London. City of New York, for San Francisco. Thales, for Coast Ports.

Canton, for Shanghai. Nanzing, for Amoy and Manila Doris, for Hoibow, China, for Saigon. Clara, for Haiphong.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Cyclops, from Shanghai, Mrs and 729 Mim Adams, and Mr Alexander,

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Per Benalder, from Singapore, 370 Chi-Per Asagao, from Nagasaki, Mr and Mrs

Per Deccan, from Yokohama, 3 Europears, and 518 Chinese. Per Cicero, from Saigon, 60 Chinose. DEPARTED.

Per Activ. for-Hollow, O Chinese.

Per Clude, for Shanghai: from Hongkong. Hon. B. Layton, Mrs Layton, infant and 2 WARRANTS may be had on application at servants, Captain T. des Vœux, Mesars the Office of the Society on and after Slingsby Bethell, Cruickshank, Gorlitz and party, Addis, A. A. Whelan, do la Gorde and Cloez; from London, Messrs Everard, S. Fraser, W. S. King, Rev. and Mrs Shaw and child, Dr. and Mrs Greig, Miss Crosse, Miss Newington, Miss Nicholson, and Mrs Craik ; from Naples, Mr Hague ; from Port Said, Miss Wady; from Brindisi, Messrs W. W. King, Clark, Crosswaith, McGregor and Murry; from Bombay, Mr Clark; from Singapore, Mr Romefeldt, Moss. and Mdme. Popoff, Mr Vito Sansonno, and Mr

Per City of New York, for Yokshama, Mr H. J. Battinger, Mr Austin Herr and native servant ; for San Francisco, l Euro-

Per Cyclops, for Singapore, 8 Europeans, 731 and 885 Chinese. Per Thales, for Coast Ports, 4 Europeans, and 300 Chinese. Per Canton, for Shanghai, 2 Europeans, and 50 Chinese.

TO DEPART.

Per Saghalien, from Hongkong: for Marsoilles, Mr J. Russell C.M.G., (Chief Justice), Major and Mrs Whitmore and child, Hou. J. Bell-Irving, and Mrs Bell-Irving, 3 children and governess, Messrs Hannan, Fritz, Esmonet, Dr. Pellereau, Mesers Pegga, Warouse, Rubinson, Hofmann, Ceccaldi, Cornu, Dafresno, Gaudaubert, Perinat, Mrs Marques, Mr. Guillabert, Mrs Von Frier and 2 children. For Singapore : from Yokohama, Mr Baum-728 garton, Mr Andrew's servant; from Shanghai, Rev. Slovan. For Calcutta: from Shanghai, Mrs Hyolo and 3 infants. For Marseilles: from Shanghai, Townley, and servant, Mr and Mrs Buchheister and daughter, Mr M. Tayler, Mr Martin Lory, Mr Richardson, Mr and Mrs Martin and 2 infants : from Yokohama, Mesars Parcher, Nazaki, Swano, Koga, Pujita and Sughi-

> Per Doris, for Heibow, 30 Chinese. Per China, for Saigon, 150 Chinese Per Clara, for Haiphong, 25 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Cyclops reports Fresh N.E. wind leaving port; light breeze and small shows nearing Hongkong. The British steamer Benalder reports Had light Easterly winds and fine weather from Singapore. April 1st, spoke J.N.Q.T., lat. 5° 45' N., and long. 84° 1' E. The British steamer Decean reports Fine weather throughout. The British steamer Cicero reports: Port to port, very fine weather, wind E. light.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For STRAITS & LONDON. -Per Titan, at 10.30 a.m., on Wedgesday. the 17th inst. 732 For STRAITS & CALCUTTA. --

Per Wingsam, at 2 30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst. For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Nanzing, at 8.30 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 17th inst. For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG. KOK.— Per Phra Chom Klao, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 18th inst.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY. -Per Deccan, at 11.30 a m., on Thursday, the 18th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Hailoong, at 5 p.m., on Thursday,

the 18th inst. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Nizam will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 24th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindisi; to the Straits

Settlements, Natherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

MISCELLANEOUS

LOANS

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The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

Hongkong Club. SATURDAY, April 27 :---0.30 p.m. - Meeting of The Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Ld.

Masonic Hall.

THURBDAY, April 26 :---

Share list.—Quotations. April 16, 1859. Nos. of Value. Stocks. | Paid-Closin / Quotations, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60, 000 \$ all 157 % prem., sollers INSURANCES. Union Insurance Society Co., Ld....10, 000 \$ 25 \$105, buyers Cama Traders' Insurance Co., Ld....24, 000 \$ 25 80, cash 83.33 8 North-China Insurance Co., Let..... 5, 090 £ 50 Tis. 310, sales Yangesze Insurance Association, Ld. 8, 000 £ all Tis. 98, seller. Churese insurance co., Limited...... 1,500 \$ 200 3160, nominal Canon Insurance Office Co., Ld.....10,000 8 50 s128, buyers The Straits Insurance Co., Ld.......30,000 8 20,822 Hougkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld... 8,000 50 \$3621, buyers Ohma Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ 201883, buyers The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ 1008 20 \$19 Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$ 20 17

H'kong & Whampos Dock Co., Ld. 12, 500 all |\$68 °/, prem. STEAMBOAT COMPANIES. HK. U. and M. Sisamboat Co., Ld 40,000 2 all | 129 °/. prem. Into China S. N. Company, Limited 60, 000 £ $\mathbf{a}11$ Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$ China and Manila S. S. Co., Lt 3,500 all \$140, cash, nominal

Ohina Sugar Company, Limited 15,000 3 all 2197 Luzon Sugar Company, Limited 7,000 8 \mathbf{all} Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan) all \$32, sellers Mining Co. t.... Societé Française des Charbon-8,000 Fcs. 500 Fs. 500 \$675, nom. nages du Tonkin HK. & Kow, Whari & Godown Co. 17,000 all \$200, sellers A. S. Watson & Co., Limited... 105 % prem. ali -Oruickshank & Co., Limited...... all par, buyers Hongicung Hotel Company, Lt.,.. all \$190, buyers 3,000 she. insued H.K., and China Gas Co., Limited.) 5, 100 £ 10 £ 7.10 \$180, sellers New Shares 1 1,900 £ Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... 5,000 & Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ... 000 & 880, nominal \$150, nominal ali H'kong Rupe M anulactory Co., Ld. 3,000 all Hongkong Dairy Farm Co...... 3,000 8 \$13, cash, buyers HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,200 50 \$210 % prem. Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 East Borneo Planting Co., Limited | 3,000 50\$ 25 \$10, sellers Austin Arms Hotel and Building 4,000 Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. 5,000 Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Limited 4,000 8 15 25 % prem., buyers Steam Launch Company, Limited ... 2,000 \$ 20 16) % prem. Chins-Borneo Company, Limited..... 7,500 8 Green Island Coment Co., Ld. 20,000 8 Hongkong Land Investment and \$ 25,000 \$ 5 \$20, nom. 50 \$145, nom. Agency Company, Limited..... Labuk Planting Company, Limited 5,000 8 Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 30,000 8 10 \$15, cash, buyers

1886 B...... 1700,00 TL 25 16 % prem.

2 \$10, ozah, nom.

MAILS will close:-For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS. LAND, COOKTOWN; TOWNSVIL-

LE. BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MEL-BOURNE & ADELAIDE. Por Catterthun, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday. the 23rd inst.

For SINGAPORE.— Per Lydia, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 24th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .--The French Contract Packet Saghalien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 17th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marscilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

HOURS OF GLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

the Mails, &c.

When the Packets leave at Nom. The following hours will be observed in By the use of these Bottles, CIGARS as closing the Mails for Europe, &c, by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A. M. - Pusting of Prices Current and Whenever or wherever the atmosphere is

Circulars coases. (Prices Current and Circulais may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way), 10.00 A.M. -Registry ceases.

10.30 a.m. -Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes. TELATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

A Peak delivery has now been established Letters will be delivered by the 12 and 4 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of

departure. Correspondence from the Peak may be posted in the Letter Boxes up to 12 and 4 o'clock. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rales will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to Cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped across thom.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, April 18:-Goods per Wingsang undelivered after this date subject to rent. 7 p. m. - Meeting of Union Church.

Friday, April 19 :— Local Banks close. Goods per Steamer Caledonien undaimed after Noonsubject to rent. Prize Meeting of H.K. Rifle Association.

SATURDAY, April 20 :--2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at No. 13, Seymour Terrace. 4.30 p.m. -Meeting of Shareholders of The Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9, Queen's Rd. Share Register of The Punjom & Singhie The Shire Line s.s. Breconshire, from Lon-

Don Samautan Mining Co., Ld., closed from this date to 12th May, inclusive. MONDAY, April 22 :-L cal Banks close. Goods per Camorta undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Goods per Glenshiel undelivered after The D. D. R. steamer Bellona, from Hamthis date subject to rent. Tuesday, April 23:-Noon.-Extraordinary Meeting of H. Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld.,

The Glen Line steamship Glenartney, from London, left Singapore on the 15th at No. 7, Queen's Road Central. inst., and may be expected here on WEDNESDAY, April 24 :-or about the 21st inst. 5 p.m. - Moeting of Green Island Coment The steamship Arratoon Appar left Singa-Co., Ld., at No. 62, Queen's Road pore on the loth instant, and may be 5.30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders

expected here on or about the 21st the H.K. Masonic Club, Ltd., at the The s. s. Port Jackson, from London, left Singapore on the 16th inst., and may 4.30 p.m.—Meeting of Members of the be expected here on the 23rd inst. The P. & O. s. s. Gualior, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port on the 15th

inst., and may be expected here on or members and friends. about the 22nd inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship diax, from In Electric Lighting, the city of London Liverpool, left Singapore on the 16th will in a short time outstrip every city in inst, and may be expected here on or one years providing for the lighting of the

about the 22nd inst. H.M.S. Imperieuse, Leander and Alacrity left to-day for Singapore.

Mr Pollock fined a Sikh constable \$20 today for giving false evidence in an assaul

THERE will be a game of Polo at Causeway Bay at 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday, the 17th Messes Adamson, Bell and Co. inform us

that the s. s. Port Jackson, from London, left Singapore for this port this morning. THE agent of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Line informs us that the silk ex Par-

Masses Butterfield & Swire inform us that and her full new numbers only seven man. the O. S. S. Co.'s a s. Ajax, from Liver pool, left Singapore this morning for this

thia arrived in New York on the 13th inst.

THE Agent of the P. & O. Company informs us that the Company's extra steamer Gwalior, from Bombay, left Singapore for a good and proper look out had been kept here on Monday, 15th inst., at 5 p.m.

Four boarding-house runners were fined 810 each by Mr Wodehouse to-day, for boarding the s. a. Benalder without permis

Two Chinese passengers by the s.s. Benalder from Singapore were sentenced to aix months hard labour by Mr Wodshouse | paper 1-On a steamer coming into the to-day, for stealing a box containing silver overboard to drown himself, but facility a and clothing of the value of \$25, the pro- boatman alongside reconed him. When the party of another passanger.

Bestnes Chief Justice Russell, the Sagkalien takes away to morrow another leading citizen, the Hon. J. Ball Toying, again. Therefore he preferred drowning himself than rotting slowly in Dall. The prominent part in the legislative, commer- took him on shore to see what could be done qual, social and sporting life of the Colony. for him.

CAPTAIN des Vœux, Aide-de-Camp, and Mr. Slingsby Bethell, Private Secretary to the Governor, having resigned their posts, Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of left to-day by the Clyds for the North. Spim. - Wingsang leaves for Singapore, Capt, the Hon. J. S. St. Aubyn, eldest son of the Earl of St. Levan, succeeds Capt. des Voux, and Mr F. H. May, Assistant Colonial Secretary, will act as Private Secretary until a new appointment 5 p.m.-Auction of One Lot of Crown is made.

A winow named Chan Seung was brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-day, charged with abducting a boy of three years. The complainant, the wife of a school-master in the Tung Kun district, said she had a quarrel with her husband a few days ago, in consequence of which she wanted to leave him. She confided her wish to the defendant, who advised her to come to Hongkong. Defendant promising to get her a situation here as a wetnurse, she sgreed to forsake her unkind pedagogue and seek happiness in this colony. Taking her infant son with her, she left in company with the defendant. of moisture can be kept in good and Shortly after her arrival here, the defendant took the child away and left him somewhere, explaining when she returned that she had sold him. The complainant Went out to look for her son and met in the street her husband, who, accompanied by a Po Leung Kuk detective, was missing wife and searching for his child. Through the assistance of the detective the child was found shortly afterwards. The defendant denied having any intention to sell the child, and said she wanted to find somebody to look after him in order that his mother might be able to take employment. The case was remanded, defendant being allowed bail in \$100.

THE closing meeting of the first session of the Hongkoog Literary and Debating Society was held last night, Pastor Hartmann presiding. Dr Chalmers read an interesting paper on the subject of Learning Chinese. He said Chinese teachers were not generally a success; they had no idea of the art of teaching. The learner, however, must obtain the assistance of the native in order to acquire the tones and pronunciation of the language. He must also obtain the best books on the subject and compare the pronunciation of the teacher with that given in the books. As far as Cantonese was concerned, the teacher's pronunciation must be often corrected by that indicated in the book, as the teacher, according to the district he come Nord entacher Lloyd's S. S. Co.'s from, might drop his 'he' or introduce other variations. Dr Chalmers mentioned Mr Ball's books in terms of praise, while submitting them to a little friendly criticism. He spoke of the difficulties which the learner had to encounter in mastering the tones, particles and classifiers, but said that once these initial troubles were overcome, pretty rapid progress might be made, as the Chinese language presented no grammatical or inst., and may be expected here on or inflexional difficulties. Several questions were put to the lecturer at the end by students or intending students of the and may be expected here on or about language, and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded to him. Several members indicated their willingness to become members of a class for the study of Chinese, and Dr. Chalmers, Paster Hartmann, Mr May and Inspector Stanton promised to give what assistance they could to any native teacher who might be engaged. Dr Cantlie said it was intended to open the next session with a conversatione, at which he hoped there would be a large attendance of · 1000 (1) 1023 10 (1) Europe. A contract is to run for twenty-

> SUICIDES AND DUBLE AT MONTE CARLO. According to all accounts the season has been a flourishing one in the little land of the Grimaldis. Equally flourishing was the death-rate, and many people in England will be shocked to hear that during Fabruary sixteen suicides were reported at Monte Carlo, while in or near the same beautiful 'Inferno' fifteen duels resulting from quarrels at the tables took place. During the Carnival the croupiers raked in a little trifle of 20,000,000 francs, or £800,000.

streets in the business heart of London.-

Court Journal

The latest mantime curiosity—at any rate in British waters—is a torpedo boat buming petroleum or tar refuse in place of coal, which has been put through some experiments at Portsmouth within the last few days. This vessel will have something to say for herself evidently, for she has made nineteen knows an hour without emitting any perceptible smoke, and is said to more quite noiselessly. She is 137 ft. in length, Her builders are Mesers. Dexford and Sons, of Sunderland Truth

THE Board of Trade Inquiry into the collision which cooured off Beachy Head between the bark Large Bay and the Glencoe the latter vessel sinking with all hands. has been concluded. The Court found that on board the Lorgo Bay and that the complied with the Regulations for prev collisions at see Also that she had been navigated with proper and seemanlike care and that the collision was canned by the steamer porting her helm while on the starboard bow of the Large Bay, The master and officers of the Large Bay were exonerated from all blame.

THE following is from the Singapore Chipees harbour the other day, a Chinaman jamped boatman asked him what was the cause, he said that a recruiting agent told aten that he was to be sent on to Dell on artival at Singapore Friends in China had assured him that Deli was a very bad place which people once entering sannot leave boatman told him that he weed not die, and

to be not the only matter upon which the or withdraw at once from one or more of its about it or Lat. in dramatic completeness the episode of the i necessity setually comes upon them. Yet right to sell it as I am part owner. lotters, and although the public attention | they cannot believe that the necessity has The second defendant said-The first decan never sgain be riveted as it has been come even now. At any rate they are not fendant brought the tea to me to sell. pity should go unrecorded, and which will ments. It should be clearly understood before I would give it up.

Mr. Chaplin, M.P., speaking recently at Leicenter, observed that, with regard to bi-metallism, he was happy to say that he did not believe it was possible by any human agency to twist it into a party matter. He pointed out as a most remarkable circumstance that since the demonstisation of silver in 1873, there had been an unusual and a prolonged depression in trade and agriculture all over the world. He was one of those who firmly believed that the abandonment of the system of bimetallism was undoubtedly one and quite possibly the main cause of the depression which had prevailed for a period of fourteen years, and for which no one had been able to ascribe any other sufficient reason. At all events, it was a most curious coincidence that there set in about 1874 a period of depression in industry and in all kinds of business which had lasted from that time

almost up to the present moment.

the Catholic Church of St. Peter and St. Paul at Clonmel, on the 3rd inst. The Catholic soldiers of the garrison attend Mass there every Sunday morning, and whilst the officiating priest, Father Byrne. was reading the Bishop's Lenten pastoral. of the Government towards Ireland, and adjured the people to pray for, their country in this time of trouble. Lieutenant rose in his seat, and ordered his men to leave the building. As they did not immediately obey, he repeated the order twice. Father Byrne, addressing the men from the altar, commanded them to remain in their seats, and all the soldiers, except two serieants, who followed Lieutenant Geohegan out of the church, obeyed the priest and stayed where they were until Mass was over. On leaving the chapel, Lieutenant Geohogan was hooted and hustled by a crowd of people, and when the soldiers marched for their barracks they were accompanied by a crowd, who cheered them heartily for the course they had adopted. Before the officer left the chapel the priest publicly rebuked him, and told him that he should report him to his superior

AT Kinkiang some of the sons of rich

Chinese merchants, 'fast' young men, are in the habit of engaging professors of the art of boxing and the savate, to give them lessons in the science of self-defence, so that when they get into rows during their nocturnal revels they may get the better of their antagonists. This rowdyism is not approved of by their fathers and elder brothers, but they do not seem to have been able to put a stop to the custom, which is a disgrace to the native society of Kinking. One of these professors, a Kiang peh man called Hu, had been for a long time getting on worse and worse terms with a rival teacher A COMPLICATED TEA TRANSAC named Lan, a gentleman from Kwang-tai. in martial Hupeh; and at last their mutual ill-feeling culminated in a challenge to meet each other on 27th March in Nierstein, and two shopkeepers named the court of the Fire-god's Temple, just outside the south gate of Kinkiang, and see which should prove the 'better under his tuition, and when the time came there was a goodly attendance to see the sport. Mr Hu first came on the ground with a cotton-band round his forehead, a tight belt round his waist and tightly-fitting short garments and cried, 'Where is Lan the coward should come on in woman's clothes if he comes at all.' Just as the people were beginning to jeer at the absent Lan for his pusillanimity in not appearing to the challenge, that here bounded into the arena, boiling with rage and without uttering a word went straight for Mr Hu. For some minutes there was a confused scene of brawny, legs and arms whirling through the air, and then Hu, a very corpulent man, began to pant and grean and show symptoms of having had enough. This was Lan's opportunity, of which he availed himself by putting in a vigorous right-hander, which knocked out one of Hu's eves: Hu was carried off to hospital amidst rapturous applause from Lan and his supporters, and the ribald mob dispersed - Native paper.

HITHERTO there have been fixed regulations by which the houses and lands of Chinese in the interior may be sold to foreigners for the establishment of Christian chapels; but in spite of this. instances of clandestine or unauthorised transfers have not been rare, owing to the people's ignorance. The two District Magistrates of Kiang-tu and Kant'suan, the two districts forming the prefectural City of Yangchow, in Kiangau Province, have now issued a Proclamation on the subject, in which they quote the Treaty. This Proclamation reminds the people that when foreigners desire to buy land in the interior in order to found chapels, the owner of the land must first report to the local authorities, who will, provided that the fingshui of the neighbouring inhabitants be not injuriously affected by the proposed chapel, authorise the sale of the land for its erection if all be in order, for which sale there must be a dead drawn up in proper form. According to this proper form, the land is transferred for the purposes of a Roman Catholic chapel for the community,' and not to any person (wis yeh) 'to have as his private property.' [By the VI Article of

connection between Parnellism and crime. Society's income. It is stationary, and a not the case that the first defendant has a to the work. stationary income cannot suffice for a grow- share in the tea. ing work. To do the present work as it Chak Sun, master of the San Kee required. To provide for actual needs at the statement made by him. present pressing, an immediate addition to the funds of fully £10,000 per annum the return of the Nierstein, and his Worship must be obtained .- St. James's Gazette.

AMY SHERWIN'S COMPANY AT THE THEATRE ROYAL 'IL TRAVATORE.

Last night, Amy Sherwin's Company concluded their first series of performances in Hongkong with 'Il Travatore.' They finished the season as they began it with a bumper house. The fact that they never had what could be called a poor house all tertainments. But it also indicates somecourage, when they have the chance such genuine talent as the members of this company possess. We have no doubt that in which he strongly condemned the action their merits will meet with the same ordisl ever, has not the depth and power required ly good impersonation of Manrico, although demands on his voice. Mr Arthur Sherwin's Count di Luna was a very satisfactory performance in every way. The chorus, though by no means so good as it might have been, was very acceptable, and the gentlemen of the Choral Society did a highly praiseworthy thing in giving their services in that capacity. The applause was as frequent and hearty as at any of the Company's previous performances, and at the close of the open there was quite an enthusiastic demonstration of

TION.

Kong Fuk, a fireman on board the S. S. Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-day, Each had more than ten pupils the first charged with stealing 85 bags of tea of the value of \$200, the second with receiving the tea knowing it to have been stolen, and the third with being unlawfully in possession of the tea. Chan Pau, the complainant, said-I am

shop, Whampoa. The first defendant is a fireman on the German steamer Nierstein. On the 12th inst. I gave him 85 bags of tea, worth \$200, to take down to Hongkong for servatism, has been a progressive man. me. I was to pay him 15 cents for each bag that was safely delivered, and he was to deliver them to me on arrival in Hongkong. I was to take some of the tea to a shop in Yaumati and the resi to the San Kee shop in Saiying-pun. The agents of these shops in Whampoa had purchased the tea there and delivered it to me, and I was to tring it to Hongkong. I was to have gone by the same steamer but I missed it, because the first defendant told me it would leave at 2 p.m. on the 12th, while as a matter of fact it left at noon. I came down to Hongkong by the next steamer and arrived at 5 a.m. on the 13th. I at once went on board the first defendant's steamer, but did not see him nor my tea. From what the people on steamer told me I went ashere look for my tea. I saw four bags of it lying on a wharf near Gilman Street, and the rest I found in the Yee On Lung shop in Queen's Road. The second defendant is one of the masters of that shop. There were 81 bags of my tes there. I told the second defendant that the tea belonged to me, and asked him to return it. He said a sesman had brought it to his shop, and he refused to give it up until he saw the seaman. Each bag was marked by certain characters on a slip of paper attached to it. The mark was Kwong Cheung Yee shop. I went away and returned in about an hour. The second letter. defendant then told me to find the seaman, and I went away again. About 7 a.m. I went back to the shop, but the tea was gove. The second defendant told me he had given it back to the seaman again. Afterwards, from what I heard from different shopkespers, I the Convention of 1860, it is 'permitted | went to the Chan Bing Kee shop in Saito French Missionaries to rent and pur- | Ying pun; there I saw the third delendant chase land in all the provinces, and to creek and my tea. The third defendant told me buildings thereoff at pleasure. Termany he had brought it from the Yee On Lung rial Telegraph Administration, completed ling her with ropes. The cruel sister-in-law of fact, Treaty Revision does not involve a on as pussible, and about six months for Bernard and gradients are very slight for E years this method, which is in accordance shop, and I went there with him and saw the laying of a new cable between Jinuse of the victim was betrothed to a Chinese sany question of Chinese sany qu with Treaty, has been followed, and T'an; the second defendant again. The third a former Diatrict Magistrate, obtained the defendant advised the second defendant to express consent of the High Authorities to authorities to authorities to authorities to authorities to authorities to leaving a ragged wound. The upper its being used. There are now-a-days, the second defendant refused, and however, great numbers of Roman Catholic said if he was to give it back to any one he chapels being established, but the number would give it to the seaman. The master the straits, was not strong enough, weighing morning. of landowners who come forward to report of the San Kee shop, to which part of the only three tons per mile, and was broken The next day the cruel mother in law Powers having treaties with the Middle on the upper lip punctured wounds, the L. Banoussa, reduced to 33 tegress Fabrens their intention to sell land for such a pure team was consigned, was with me most of the time. The cost of repairs has but a message to the father of the victim, Kingdom i Thus, then, the Revision of result of exploding pieces of shell, were half, and to the level of the sea in Inches, tenths pose is very small. A Buddhist priest all this time, and he accompanied me to been very heavy, so that the Administration is say that his daughter had suddenly died. Jupan's Treaties would mean nothing less made on the right cheek, on the right upper and hundredthe. named Pao Hua; and two men called Chang the police station where I made thought it advisable to change the whole When this news was brought to the good than the complete opening of the Chinese eyelid, on the posterior edge of the frontal 2 Tamperatures, in the thile in degrees Siso-chen and Chang Shon-mei, had each a report. At the present moment cable and to lay a thicker one instead. The banker, he set off accompanied by his wife empire to foreign trade, travel, and re-bone, and on the right wrist. There was fabreabeit. land to transfer for chapel purposes, and all the ten is in the possession of the Police. new cable is of heavy shore end type, 7 for the new home into which they had sent sidence. Is the Peking Government pre- also a deep cut over the right tibis, exposing the first indication given to the authorities The Young Cheung Shing shop at Wham- tons per mile, the inner wire being protect- their unfortunate daughter. He heard a pared for this? Assuredly not. It is, the bone. On receiving these severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty there is no severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty there is no severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty there is no severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty there is no severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty there is no severe hamidity of air salarated with mountainty the salarated w came in every case from the Missionaries, pos is a joss-stick shop, but one flor is a ed by several layers of hemp and 12 galva- talking going on inside, and on entering therefore, an obvious missipprehension, injuries, the man lay in a semiunconacious 100.

Mr Parnell is certainly not moving those which has been threatening this Society for the duty on tea is. This is the way I Captain Lund and his officers was success- and having an inquest held; but on the re- often discussed with uneasiness this con- the homorrhage, he managed to crawl out journals which are suggesting a sudden several years has come at last; and the always bring it down to Hongkong. I fully laid partly in a new track, evading him from tingency of Chinese immigration into Japan and hop for five hundred yards to a grain close to the proceedings of the Special question must now be promptly settled don't smuggle it down. I don't know when the coral reefs and rocky buttom. Great this course, and proposing as a substitute a in the event of the Treaties being revised. shop, where he found a large basket of

He and his curinent counsel are very the condition and cost of the various fields the following statement:-I have a share with the world. But, not only to our re- of liberal and magnanimous ideas, forced tion has presented itself chiefly to foreigners in the basket to the hospital gates. where anxious that the inquiry should proceed; of labour has therefore been made, and the in the tea. My share is \$32. I get 15 gret but surely also to the regret of the himself to consent to this arrangement, interested in Japan's welfare. The incom he was left outside to die. Although in a and would protest against any other course. directors have determined upon certain cents in addition for every bag I bring These suggestions may indeed entirely be stations in different parts of the world which down. When I came to Hongkong I sold put saids. Although nothing can approach | must be the first to be sacrificed if this this tea to the second defendant. I have a rupted, and we are still shot out from the new daughter-in-law having to make such a States and Australia a law shown, on a blood, the patient had no mental impair-

upon the case of Pigott, yet there are other prepared to sound the retreat without mak- sold it to the third defendant. I wanted disclosures to be made which it would be a ing one more earnest appeal for reinforce- the complainant to prove his ownership to the electrician, Captain and Officers, the doctor, becoming alarmed, hastily sent attractions and material inducements as exception of diarrhos on the fifth and sixth have an especial bearing upon the alleged that there has been no falling off in the The complainant, recalled, said—It is a time and with men quite unconstomed in order to conciliate the public. When Japan's position enables her to avoid this patient had throughout no bad symptoms.

> ought to be done, an increase of at least sho, who accompanied the complain-Inspector Mackie asked for a remand till

remanded the case till 23rd inst. Bail was fixed for the first defendant at \$200 and for the second at \$100; the third defendant being allowed out without bail.

Canton. (Brom a Correspondent.)

April 15.

Among the larger and most important bodies which revolve in the Chinese heavens around the imperial sun. His Majesty the Emperor, from whom all these numberless the time they have been here is a sufficiently bodies, large as well as small, derive their good guarantee for the quality of their en- power, light, and one may even say, their very existence, His Excellency Chang Chih-An extraordinary scene was witnessed in thing more, and that is that the Hongkong tung. Vicercy of the Two Kwang, is a star public are not slow to recognise and en- of the first magnitude. During his long official career he has done good service to his country, but in no former position has he had more scope for displaying his activity and patriotism and for carrying out good, sound and lasting work conducive to approbation in Shanghai, for which place the welfare of his countrymen and the the Company left to-day. In the perform- honour of his country than as Viceroy of ance of Verdi's grand opera, given this thickly-populated province. Oppor-Geohegan, who was in charge of the troops, last night, with the assistance of a tunities have, from time to time, presented number of gentlemen members of the themselves to him to come forward as a pa-Choral Society, the Company fully tries, a politician, a humanitarian, yea even In making a sketch of a mountain it is maintained the reputation which their a reformer, and he has, though sometimes previous appearances had gained for them. he has found himself in difficult positions, the ground covered by its base must be Leonora is perhaps on the whole the most come out of all his difficulties in a very securately surveyed in order to ascertain successful part Miss Sherwin has essayed creditable manner. Of course his actions its dimension; so in drawing up a chart here, and yesterday evening, especially in and his policy at large, looked at in a of water the shoals and rapids must be the last scene, her singing and acting were purely progressive and one may say Euro- marked and the configuration of the bed highly effective, even better we think than pean point of view, may be characterised of the river must be accurately examined on the last occasion when a selection from as prejudiced, anti-foreign, and conser- in order to ascertain its depth. In the the work was given. Miss Fischer as vative, but they are and have been, it case of the Yellow River's knowledge Azucena, although not well suited to the must be admitted, calculated to meet the of the direction and windings of its course part, made a much better appearance than exigencies of the case, to promote Chinese and of its relative breadth at different on Saturday evening, when she had the interests, to benefit the Chinese people and uncongenial part of The Gipsy Queen to further Chinese prestige. To err is huin 'The Bohemian Girl.' Her voice, how- | man, and he has with all his abilities committed a considerable number of mistakes, for such parts. Mr Stockwell gave a fair but the foreigners cannot after all but admire that patriotic spirit that prompts it was evident that the part made toosevere him to study Chinese interests before all others, so long, of course, as he did not allow himself to be blinded and led astray by any spirit of hatred or antagonism to foreigners, in order to pose, it may be, as exclusive friend of China and the inveterate hater of the foreigner. His Excellency seems, however, to be greatly misjudged. for though no doubt purely Chinese at heart, it is indeed difficult to reconcile the idea that a renowned statesman as he. could allow himself, on any single opportunity, to be carried away by any prejudice | view, he has writen to the Vicereys at Tien. | provinces rice is by no means an ordinary against foreigners. And yet it has sometimes been difficult not to arrive at the conclusion that he has tried to take, in select and send him twenty officers and have not been used to eating it. In Kanmore than one instance, more than he was students well acquainted with surveying suh, the rice produced at Liang-chou, prepared to give, and to even appear to and map-making. In this way he will have, Ning-hair and Ta'in-chou is largely, if not have been discourteous and inconsiderate a complete survey made in sections, and altogether, consumed by extra-provincials. towards foreignemand their representatives. | an accurate chart drawn up and printed, Indeed the matunes on which His Excel- of the whole course of the River from Wei- been more guarded in stating that the Chin-Leung Shap and Chan Hing, were before lency would appear to have gone out of his hatang where it enters Honan to its month ess are ignorant of wool weaving. It is a way to make his authority and opinions at Lisching in Shantung. This le considers | chief industry of the South of Kansu, one spite of the presence by his side of gentle- organising the river works. A mere glance men, who should have a thorough know- at such a map will show at once the deflecledge of foreign ways and doings, it would i tions of the course of the river, the breadth seem either as if the Viceroy himself had of the banks at different places, the points not much idea of international law and custom or as if his subordinate officials. afraid to open their mouths before the'r mighty chief, may have even gone so far a shopman in the Yeung Cheung Shing as to misrepresent, for reasons unknown, the character and motives of foreigners.

all other considerations, no one can deny that Chang Chih Tung, with all his conlike all great men, displayed an imperious encouragement. Memorialist proposes as and impatient spirit and has shown on more soon as they have arrived to forward a list than one occasion that, though alive to the of their names for record in the archives of knitted in the far East and are largely worn utility and expeliency of a measure, he | the Board at Peking, and requests that they | in Kansu and Shensi. Knitted strips are has been loth to yield to pressure and may be held entitled to the same rewards also used for pao chiao (foot wraps) remonstrance on the part of foreign repre- | at those granted to officers employed inautions from head-quarters or from their own | quest is supported by the Viceroy Li and | horses pass daily yet afford so little evidence sense of duty. No question better than the Governors of Honan and Stantung. | of the fact. Nothing is allowed to lie; the the removal of the barriers affords clearer | Rescript by the Emperor : We sauction | smoking ordere is speedily seized upon by illustration, for it is known to be a fact | the transfer of a number of officials for the | the old men or little boys to whose lot i of the futility of this obstruction to a state proposed establishment of a Board | these provinces (Kansu and Shensi) at least, foreign navy in time of war, of the irremedi- of Surveyors and the consideration of the the cooking and bed-heating fires are quito able harm done to the river itself and to rewards to be conferred upon them is pre- distinct. trade: but he his set his face against all mature and estentations. We command Nor are all Chinese so ridiculously conyielding as the question has been more that no notice be taken of the suggestion than once raised by foreigners, some- | Peking Gaz.tte. times in an urgent manner. There is, however, no doubt that a man

rifted with so much sagacity and patriotism will, when he sees his time, of his own accord, remove these deplorable obstructions to a great waterway and add another record to the list of his numerous beneficial works. Fertile of imagination, a learned scholar, an astute politician, a patriotic ruler. humane lover of his compatriots, he has with a firm hand, carried out a policy as well as liberal, and adopted schemes and measures and improvements which from their importance and magnitude naturally demand more than a cursory no-

tice, and will be dealt with in another

Hoihow. (From a Correspondent.)

On the 6th the Danish s. s. Frejr, Captain Lund, under the charter of the Impewarned that persons committing such will payall expenses of freight, which is locents the cable was superintended by Mr Möller, For a time the parents feeling so sad that foreigners, who would fain saddle upon bearers apparently became tired of their states of freight, which is locents the cable was superintended by Mr Möller, For a time the parents feeling so sad that foreigners, who would fain saddle upon bearers apparently became tired of their states of their lightning, a covered, p january showers, bearers apparently became tired of their states of freight, which is locents the cable of their states of the care of the this to the first defendant. There is no and foggy weather was encountered the listen to no words of palliation or regret, really responsible.

A walk informed correspondent writes: | London Musiconary Society. A crisis duty payable on tea. I don't know what cable, thanks to the great correspondent writes: | London Musiconary Society. A crisis duty payable on tea. I don't know what cable, thanks to the great correspondent writes: | London Musiconary Society. A crisis duty payable on tea. I don't know what

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rived here last night with Mr Commissioner ! their tears. Jamieson, who will take charge of the Inckily without loss of life.

had crossed from North to South by a new one. -Hu Pao. read made some time ago by Chinese and Lee soldiers. They were well treated by the Lee people who showed every bospita lity to them.

A BOARD OF SURVEYORS FOR THE YELLOW RIVER. March 28th. --- Amongst the ancients, says Wu Ta-ch'eng, the art of map-making never reached the state of perfection which it has attained in modern times. The charts which have been made of the seabaard and of the Yangtze have proved of the utmost service in carrying on the work of river and coast defence, and captains steamers rely upon their charts as guides in determining their course through the ocean necessary to fill in the whole outline, and points is an important element is arranging plans for its conservation. The charts hitherto made of the River have been mostly the work of Yamen underlings, and have merely given a rough outline without marking the degrees of latitude and longitude or noting the distances. Memorialist has been at great pains to obtain the services of an expert in chart making, but has as follows:completely failed to find one. There is no person amongst the officials or literati of of mathematics or surveying, and until a vals in your journal. teste for these studies is introduced, no improvement can be expected in this respect. Memorialist therefore proposes to establish in K'ai-feng Fu a Board of River Surveyors, and with this object in | would be surprised to learn that in some tain and Canton and the Superintendent article of diet, the people professing to be of the Foochow Arsenal, asking them to unable to satisfy themselves upon it, -they at which the force of the current is greatest, the sandbanks, the junction of its tributaries with the main stream, the trend of the hills on both sides and the distance from each other of the different towns and villages on its banks, while ad-However that may be, and putting saide ditional details can be filled in from time to time. As however the mem bers of this new Board cannot be expected to come from a distance and But with all he progressiveness he has, | undertake such a difficult task without some

> NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS. At Wu-chang Fu, the Capital of Hupeh. inside the P'ing-hu Gate, at Is'ung-wen-

NOTES FROM ICHANG. Ich 302, 25th March.

It is rumoured that Mr. Gregory, H. B. M.'s Consul here, is to be relieved by the Consul from Kinkiang. Mr. Gregory is to take a trip to Chungking to investigate matters of importance, and there is no doubt he will and Vicar Apostolic of southern Hupeh. invite, do not exterminate the Chinese We wish him all thougood that this life can altogether. While vast numbers of people give, for he is a good and noble man, and do die every year in China of diseases which always ready to do a good action

amongst us for the last twelve months, has a marvellous capacity to resist disease, and Yangtaze as far as the borders of Tibet. A already so often regretfully referred, we place called Tachinboo, is, I believe, their are obliged to depend upon the recorded nice sailing craft, regardless of expense, the constantly increasing number of foreign and she is fitted with all comforts and re- dispensaries and hospitals, are becoming quirements for the two scientific men to year by year more numerous and more valumake the boat their home for the two years able. To analyse and tabulate the medithey intend to use her. No doubt science | cal reports issued even in a single year, will benefit by their journey, and we hope | with a view to illustrating the recuperative

VARYING CUSTOMS IN CHINA. O. F. H. writes to the N.-C. Daily News

Will you permit me to notice briefly two points referred to in the very able papers Honan who possesses any exact knowledge on Chinese Characteristics appearing at inter-

It is very difficult to prodicate much China as a whole; even the most ordinary features in some parts are wholly wanting in others. How many people, for example, Hence your correspondent should have which Tso Chang-t'ang endeavoured to improve years ago by securing the services of some Austrians with a view to the intro-

duction of machinery. Ch'n Ngan Heien (秦安縣) and He Chen () are the principle centres of being laid on the kang went to sleep. No the manufactures of twilled woollen stuff quite a creditable article-varying a good deal in quality and colour. The usual width is from 13 to 13 inches (71) an (R), colour influencing price a great deal. The natives use this Ho-ts: as it is called for Ma-kuas, gowns, quilts (wadded), underahirta, etc., etc. Heelless socks and fingerless gloves are

Then as to klangs; one would wonder sentatives who have acted under instruc- | gurating the Telegraph Service. The re- | how roads over which a large number of

> servative as to order their fires by the Beason only. I have had to suffer from

Commission. The forged letters will prove whether it is to continue its present work, there the Captain of the ateamer knows was the delight in Hollow when we saw grand funeral, and penitential offerings to We are not ourselves aware, however, that meal, which he overturned with his sound the Freir returning and knew that we soon the spirit of the dead by her mother-in-law Japan has been suspected of deferring Re- or o, and coiled himself inside. To get rid case against him will be put to con a ion. fields of labour. A careful examination of The first defendant at this point made | could be in telegraphic communication and sister-in-law, the banker hong a man vision because of any such fear. The quest of labour. A careful examination of the shop carried him people on board, the land-line from Hoi- though with many a groan. But now the venient consequences of Chinese immigra- condition of extreme collapse, and with a how to the cable landing-place was inter- doctor's wife raised an objection to her tion into countries so distant as the United feeble pulse, due to the loss of so much outer world. We hope sincerely that our confession of her wrong. This was too small so do, what might be anticipated if ment and was able to converse intelligibly. local manager will be rewarded for keep- much for the neighbours, who were just unrestricted access were granted to a lie had been addicted to opinu-smoking, a ing the land-line under his care, in such going to the doctor's house to bind the country within a few hours' steam of the circumstance which could not have been splendid condition. Great credit is due young woman and bring her along, when Middle Kingdom, and effering so many savourable to recovery. Yet with the for completing this work within such short her to assist at the propitiatory ceremony. Japan offers. B t fortunately for herself days, and slight attacks of malaria, the this was over, the banker and his wife risk, or at any rate to defer it for many and left the hospital with a wooden leg. The cruiser Likin, Captain Brazier, ar returned home, with difficulty restraining years. The one advantage accruing from her four weeks after his admission. long isolation is that she can make the open-At a village near Ningpo there is a fish- ang of her doors conditional on correspond of tobacco, which one of them affirmed to £ 5,000 in the Society's annual income is ant in his search for the tea, corroborated | Customs here, vice Mr Morse transferred erman who fishes in the river to earn his ing hespitality being extended to herself. | be 'a slow poison.' This the other denied. to Pakhoi. Great improvements at our rice. He is fifty years old, and had a wife, Just as she says to Occidental Powers, 'we litting the case of his own grand-father. small port may be expected, and no doubt but she had nover borne him a child. Last decline to admit your subjects and citizens who after having used tobacco all his life. we shall report soon the laying of the month he was out in his boat casting his to perfect freedom of trade, travel, and was hale and hearty at the age of seventy. foundation stone of the first European not, when he heard the voice of an infant residence unless they submit to our juris. Not at all disconcerted by this instance, the house. Weather has been very warm crying among the rushes of the bank, and diction, so she can say to China, 'we de first speaker replied, 'Depend upon it, if lately. To-day's thermometer registering on drawing near to se . found a baby boy close to admit your subjects to such privi- your grandfather had not used tobacco, he 93° in the shade. A heavy thunder-storm wrapped up in a sort of nest of rusnes. He loges unless you in return admit ours.' might have been eighty to this day!' If a pussed over our town on Saturday after- at once knew that a child had died, and And even then the tale of conditions would people with such physical endowments as men, accompanied by a sh wer of hail- that its soul had come back to the world of not be all told; for it is plain that no civi- the Chinese, were to be preserved from the stones as large as a bean. During the man again and was inhabiting this little lized people could possibly consent to sub- effects of war, famines, pestilence and opium, squall a sampan capsized in the creek, but body. He took it home, and his wife fed mit to Chinese laws and legal processes as and if they were to pay some attention to it with soun and rice-water, when it soon they are now, whereas, without such sub- the laws of physiology and of hygiene, and A few days ago our missionaries, Rev. F. ceased crying; and the old couple took mission, Japan will assuredly not propose to be uniformly nourished with suitable P. Gilman and Rev. C C. Jeremiasson, such a fancy for the foundling that they that her people should have unrestricted food, there is some reason to think that return d from an exploring trip from the adapted him then and there as a son, giving access to Chinese territority. China, in a they slone would be adequate to occupy the interior of our island reporting that they him the name of Shill lai, the picked-up word, stands distinctly outside the pale of principal part of the planet and more, -Powers concerned in the question of Japan - N.-C. Daily News. ese Treaty Revision. Of course we are not now speaking in a fiscal sense. The ques-

-Japan Mail.

tion or tariffs is altogether a different affair.

THE VITALITY OF THE CHINESE. The complete ignorance of the laws of sickly people suffering from weakness and prove to be the right min in the right place. hygiene which characterises almost all wasting disease improve and thrive upon Our most amiable resident, the Rev. Chinese, and their apparent contempt for this diet is truly marvellous. As a remedy Father Benjamin Christiansen, who has those laws even when apprehended, are for Consumption and Throat Affections and lived here for a great number of years and | well known to all foreigners who live in | Bronchitis is unequalled by any other prodone very good work among the hill tribes China. To a foreign observer it is a stand. paration in the world. Any Chemist can of Chang yang, has been appointed by His ing problem, why the various diseases which impply it. - Watson & Co. (Limited) agents Holines, the Pope to the position of Bishop | this ignorance and defiance of natural laws in Hongkong and China. are entirely preventible, the fact that the Our friend Mr Pratt, the collector of number of such persons is not indefinitely | OPIUM-New Patna, cash, ... 5374/540 beetles and butterflies, who has lived greater, argues on the part of the Chinese been joined by a Mr Richeldorff, lately out to recover from it. In the total absence from home. They are to proceed up the of those vital statistics to which we have destination. Mr Pratt has just built a very observations of foreigners, which, owing to they will be successful. -Shanghai Courier. | power of the Chinese, would be a most

useful task, and the result would certainly present the object in a fresh and forcible manuer. We must, however, be content with the more statement of a few cases, by way of illustration, two of which occurred within the knowledge of the writer, while the third is taken from the published reports of a large hospital in Tientsin. The whole force of instances of this sort depends upon the undoubted fact, that they are by no means isolated and altogether exceptional cases, but are such as could be matched by the observation of very many of our readers.

Several years ago, while living in a house with a Chinese family, the writer heard one afternoon the most dismal acreams under the window, where was placed a large bechive, made of adobe bricks, and open at the bottom. A little boy fourteen menths of ago was playing in the yard, and seeing this or ening into what looked like a convenient play-house, had injudiciously crawled in. The child's head was shaved perfectly bare, and was very red. The bees either resentng the unusual intrusion, or mistaking the bald pate for a hage peony, promptly lit upon the head, and began to sting. Be- | Paken at Meurs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, fore he could be removed, the child had received more than thirty stings. The child cried but a few moments, and then

medicine of any sort being at hand, nothing was applied to the skin. During the night the child was perfectly quiet, and the next day no trace of the swelling remained. In the year 1878, a carter in the employ of a prices range from 30 to 70 cash per foot foreign family in Peking, was taken with the prevalent typhus fever, of which so many died. On the thirteenth day when the disease reached a orisis, the patient, who had been very ill indeed, became exceedingly violent, exhibiting the strength of several men. Three persons were deputed to watch him, all of whom were exhausted with their labours. During the night of this day, the patient was tied to the bed to prevent his escape. While the watchers were all asleep, he contrived to loosen the cords with which he was bound. and escaped from the house perfectly naked. He was missed at about 3 a.m., and the whole premises were searched. that His Excellency is perfectly convinced work of surveying and chart-making, but falls to provide fuel for the brick bed. In including the wells, into which it was feared he might have plunged. He was traced to the wall of the compound, which was nine or ten feet in height, and which he had scaled by climbing a tree. He leaped or fell to the ground on the outer side of this wall, and at once made his way the inevitable k'ang smoke on a rainy day to the most just inside the great wall which separates the Tartar city of Peking from the Chinese city. Here he was found two CHINESE EMIGRATION TO JAPAN, hours later, his head wedged fast between

The Jiji Shimpo touches briefly on a sub- the upright iron bars which prevent passage ts'ih P'u, a certain cloth-merchant lately ject of great importance to Japan. Refer through the culvert under the wall. As he died. leaving his son married to a native ring to the constant failures made in respect had passionately demanded to be taken to banker's daughter. The cloth-merchant's of Treaty Revision-fai ures which, especi- this place to cool his fever, it was evident business fell off very rapidly after his death, ally the last, our contemporary greatly re- that he had been in this a tuation for a great but the banker grew-richer and richer; and grets-the Jiji avera that many foreigners length of time. On being taken home, his so that his daughter and sou-in-law might | ascribe Japan's ill-success to her own want | fever was found to be thoroughly broken be properly started in life, he obtained for of resolution. While avowedly desiring to and though troubled with rheumatism in the latter a situation in another cloth-shop, I throw the country open, say these critics, the legs he made a slow but sure recovery. deposited several hundreds of taels in the she really fears to do so, being unwilling A Tientain man, about thirty years of husiness, and arranged that unless he com- to face an influx of Chinese immigrants and age, had been in the habit of making a mitted some gross mistake his situation the effect they would exercise on her indus- living by collecting spent shells around the should be a permanency. The mother of trials. The justice of such a notion is at grounds where Chinese troops were engaged the young man, however, lost to all sense of terly denied by the Tokyo journal. The in artillery practice. On one occasion he gratitude to her benefactor, assoon as the people of Japan, our contemporary declares, secured a shell, when on attempting to young wife was brought to her new home, do not shrink from competition with the break it open, it exploded, and blew off his Amoy 30.08 65 95 sax 1 united with her own daughter is oppressing | Chinese, however shrewd and industrious left leg. He was admitted to the hospital. the poor young woman; and on the 23rd | the latter may be. They do not shrink and an amoutation was performed below Haiphous 20.98 82 70 E 1 od March, it is not known for what cause, they from competition with Cocidentals, despite the knee. Instead of being onred of this Bolinad 29.98 90 56 8E 2 b beat her cruelly with nailed Chinese boots the latter's superior knowledge, experience, dangerous mode of getting a precarious and completed the horrible work by strang- business talents, and wealth. But, in point living, the man returned to it again as There is not much change in the baromedoctor's son at the Ping-hu gate, and when the Chinese are to be freely admitted to explosion took place, which blew off his prevails, except in Luzon, where it is fine and Palm Point (Peninsula of Lei-chau). he heard an account of the murder he ordered part of Japan, then the Japanese also left hand about two inches above the wrist, and dry. troubles in 1884 over very rocky bottom in night, fetched her away, and had her China. And if this privilege be conferred portion of the right arm was severely from the subjects and citizens of other place over the bridge of the nose, and who came to pay the land-tar. In the teachop under the style of Pak ki. I be- nised iron wires. The cable arrived at suddenly saw the whole homible reality founded on imperfect acquaintance with the and helpless condition for four hours. above instances, the natives mentioned have long to the Pak ki pert. I bring down Hongkong by a s. Glamorganshire in very before them,

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ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND.

6rH DIVIDEND of 61 % on all CLAIMS against the Hongkong BRANCH OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORAmon, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the Offices of the New ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY,

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MEETING TO BE HELD AT KOWLOON ON FRIDAY April 19th, SATURDAY 20th, and MONDAY 22nd, 1889.

PATRON: H.E. Sir G. Wm. Des Voeux, K.C.M.G.

COMMITTEE : G. E. Noble, Esq. (Chairman). E. L. Woodin, Esq. (Vice-Chairman). John Andrew, Esq. Maj. Verner Chater, 1st A. &S. Highlanders.

Capt. Collinson, 2nd North'tonshire Regt. Major Dempster. C. Ford, Esq. H. J. Holmes, Esq. A. Shelton Hooper, Esq.

W. C. Murray, Esq. Capt. Robinson, 1st A. & S. Highlanders. E. Robinson, Esq. Colonel Storer, R.E. Alf. Woolley, Esq.

HON. SEC. & TREASURER: A. Shelton Hooper, Esq.

1st. -All Comers. - Distance 200 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Unlimited entries. 20 cents each. Ten prizes, value \$47. 2nd.—Association.—Distance 200 yards. No. of Shots Seven. Unlimited entries, 30 cents each. Five prizes,

value \$30. 3rd .- Members of Council .- Past and Prosent Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils of Hongkong. Distance 200 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. No entrance fee.

Ist prize, presented by E. L. Woodin, Esq.

2nd prize, presented by Messrs Gaupp & Co. 4th.-Queen's 1st Stage.-Distance 200 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Entrance fee, 50 cents. One prize, \$10. Position-Standing or Kneeling. 5th, -All Comers. - Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Unlimited en-

6th.—Association.—Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Unlimited entries, 30 cents each. Five prizes, value \$30. 7th.—Ladies'.—Open to Lady Members or their Nominees. Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. No entrance Seven prizes. Position-Sitting

or Kneeling. 1st Prize, presented by A. G. Stokes, Esq. " E. L. Woodin, Esq. " Maj. Verner Chater. , E. L. Woodin, Esq. Major Dempater. . H. J. Holmes, Esq. Wang Hing. Purse.—Presented by the

Ladies of Hongkong. Distance 300 yards. No of Shots -Seven. Entrance iec. 50 cents. 9th, -Chairman's Cup-Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Entrance fee

lat Prize, presented by G. E. Noble, Esq. ,, Messra Dakin Bros. Lock Hing. 10th All Comers. - Distance 500 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Unlimited en-

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tries, 30 cents each. Five prizes, value \$30. 12th.—Queen's 1st Stage. —Distance 500 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Entrance fee 50 cents. One prize of \$10. Position-Sitting, Kneeling, or Prone. 18th.—Queen's 2nd Stage.—Distance 500 yards. No. of Shots-Ten. Entrance fee 50 cents. One prize of \$10. Position-Sitting, Kneeling, or Prone.

14th.—Any Rifle.—Open to all comers. Distance 500 yards. No. of Shots-Ten. Entrance fee \$1. 1st Prize, presented by The Hon.

C. P. Chater. 2nd Prize, presented by Wang Hing. 15th.-All Comers.-Distance 600 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Unlimited entries, 20 cents each. Seven prizes, value \$20.

16th. - Association. - Distance 600 yards. No of Shots-Seven. Unlimited entries, 30 cents each. Five prizes, value \$30. 17th. -Queen's 1st Stage. - Distance 600

yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Entrance fee 50 cents. One prize of \$10. Position-Sitting, Kneeling, or Prone. 18th Queen's 2nd Stage. - Distance 600 yarda. No. of Shots-Fifteen. Entrance fee 5 cents. One prize of \$10. Position -Sitting, Kneeling, or Prone. daily. th, -Any Kifle, -Open to all comers. Distance 600 yards. No. of Shots-Ten. Entrance fee \$1. Two prizes,

20th Queen's 3rd Stage - Distance 800 | Thursday, 18th April, after which time yards. No. of Shots Ten. Entrance double Entrance Fees will be charged.

fee 50 cents. One prize, \$10. . Long Range .- Distance 800 yards. No. of Shots -- Seven. Entrance fee 50 cents. Three prizes, value \$24. lat Prize, presented by The Hote.

C. P. Chater. 22nd, - Any Rifte. - Open to all comers. Distance 800 yards. No. of Shots-Ten. Entrance fee \$1. Two prizes, cominated by Lady Members.

value \$15. 23rd, -Long Range. -Distance 900 yards. No. of Shots-Seven. Entrance fee before and/or after shooting.

50 cents. Three prizes, value \$24. 1st Prize, presented by E. R. Beli-24th. - Queen's 3rd Stage. - Distance 900 yards. No. of Shots-Ten. Entrance

fee 50 cents. One prize of \$10. 25th-Any Rifle.-Open to all comers. Dis-Entrance fee \$1. Two prizes, value | Competitions Nos. 12, 13, 17 and 18 he 1st Prize, presented by H. N. prone position.

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tance 150 yards, Seven Rounds. No stages, exclusive of aggregates, but can entrance fee. Three prizes, value \$18. | claim the next prize. AGGREGATES OPEN TO ALL COMERS. 27th ... Volunteer Aggregate. - Restricted to

efficient Volunteers whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 1 and 5 make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee \$1. Three prizes, value day and cease at 6 o'clock. 28th, Civil Service Aggregate. - Restricted

to Members of the Civil Service whose tions Nos. | and 5 make up the highest | day. negregate. Entrance fee \$1. 3 prizes. Ist and 2nd Prizes, presented by B. Chanffeur, Esq. 29th, -Police Aggregate, -Restricted to

Members of the Police Force whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 1 and 5 make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee 50 cents. Three prizes, value \$25. 30th - Aggregate - Restricted to Blue-

jackets, Marines, and Private soldiers whose respective highest scores in trance fee 50 cents. Ten prizes, value | -New Military Range. 31st. - Aggregates. - Restricted to Civilian

scores in competitions Nos. 2, 6, 11 | 6.00.—Association Range. and 16 make up the highest aggregates. Entrance fee \$1. Three prizes \$24. stricted to Officers of the Army and 3.30.—Association Range. Navy whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10 and 15 make up the highest aggregates. Entrance fee \$1. Three prizes, value \$24. 33rd. — Aggregates. — Restricted to Non-

Commissioned Officers, Petty Officers and Warrant Officers of the Army, Navy, and Marines whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10 and 15 make up the highest aggregates. Entrance fee 50 cents. Three prizes, value \$18. 34th. - All Comers Aggregate. - For all com-

petitors whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10 and 15 make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee \$1. Five prizes, value \$21. 35th. - Any Rifte Aggregale. - For Competitors whose respective scores in competitions Nos. 14, 19, 22 and 25 make up the highest aggregates. Entrance fee \$2. Three prizes, value \$30. 1st Prize presented by the Hon. C. P.

AGGREGATES OPEN TO MEMBERS. 36th. - Victoria Prize. - Open to Officers of the Army and Navy whose respective scores in the 1st Stage Queen's make up the highest aggregate. Entrance fee \$1. 1st Prize presented by E. R.

Chater.

Belilios, Esq. 37th .- Nursery Aggregate .- Restricted Competitors who have never won a First or Second prize at any previous prize meeting in Hongkong, and whose respective acores in the 1st Stage Queen's make up the highest aggregate. Military and Navy excluded. Entrance fee \$1. Three prizes, value \$30. 1st Prize presented by H. N. Mody, Esq. tries, 20 cents each. Ten prizes, value 38th. - Handicap Aggregate. - For Competi-

tors whose respective scores (with the new monthly Challenge Cup Handicap points added) at 30 and 500 yards in the 1st Stage Queen's make up the highest aggregates. Entrance fee \$1. Three prizes, value \$30, 1st Prize presented by Bavier Chauffeur, Esq. 39th. - Long Range Aggregate. - For Competitors whose respective scores in competitions Nos. 21 and 23 make up

the highest aggregate. Entrance fee \$1. Two prizes, value \$25. 1st Prize presented by the Hop. C. P. Chater. 40th .- Queen's Aggregates .- For Compe- any Debt contracted by the Officers or titors whose respective scores make up | Crew of the following Vessels, during the highest aggregates in the following | their stay in Hongkong Harbour:stages :- Entrance fee \$2.

1st Stage, 200, 500 and 600 yards. One prize, \$15. 2nd Stage, 500 and 600 yards, One prize \$15. 3rd Stage 800 and 900 yards, One

The National Rifle Association Silver Medal with \$15 will be given for the highest aggregate made in the three stages; and for the next nine best aggregates money prizes to the value of \$81.

N.B.—The Winner of the Silver Medal is entitled to shoot for the Prince of Wales's Cup at the First Prize Meeting of the Na-11th -Association .- Distance 500 yards, tional Rifle Association at which he may be

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41st. - Champion Aggregates. - For Competitors whose respective highest scores in competitions Nos. 2, 6, 8, 9, 11, 16, 21, 23 and the Three Stages Queen's. make up the highest aggregates. Entrance foe \$2.

1st Prize, Silver Cup value \$100. presented by the Parsee Community. 2nd Prize, Silver-mounted Claret Jug value \$25, presented by the Share Brokers; 3rd Prize. Silver Cup value \$15, presented by the Association.

SWEEPSTAKES-OPEN TO ALL COMERS.

Running Man .- Unlimited entries. Distance 150 yards. Five shots for 20 Vanishing Target .- Unlimited entries. Distance 150 yards. Five shots for 20

POOL-OPEN TO ALL COMERS. 200 yards; 25 cents each shot. 300 yards; 25 cents each shot. Saucer Pool: Distance about 150 yards,

25 cents each shot. Rook Rifles: Distance about 150 yards, 25 cents each shot. The Entrance money for Sweepstakes and Pool (less 25 per cent.), will be divided

CONDITIONS, &c.

1.-Entries must be sent in with the requisite fees for all competitions restricted lat Prize, presented by E. R. Beli- to members of the Association, except those which are unlimited, before, neon on 2.-In all competitions, three com-

petitors must enter or there will be no first prize, four or no second, six or no third, 3.—No Lady to nominate more than one representative, nor is one member to shoot for more than one Lady. Competition No.

, is open to Members only, who must be 4. -Rifles :- Martini-Henry or M. H. let Prize, presented by H. N. Mody. Carbines to be used, except in Competitions Nos. 14, 19, 22, 25 and 26. Pull off 61 lbs. Rifles will be tested Rifles can be adjusted by the Armourer

Sergeant, on payment of 20 cents. 5.—Sights: — Paper or sliding gauges on above are not allowed. 6.—Position:—Any, except in Competition No. 4, when the member must stand or kneel whilst shooting, and in Competitance 900 yards. No. of Shots-Teo. | tion No. 7 he must sit or kneel, and in must adopt either the sitting, kneeling, or

7. In Competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10 & 15, 26th - Cadets. - Open to Pupils of Hongkong | only one Prize can be taken at each Public Schools under 16 years of Age. | distance, and no Competitor can take more Rook Rifle under 40 Calibres. Dis- than three prizes in Queen's 1st, 2nd & 3rd

> 8.-Ammunition will be provided on payment. 9.—Competitors can shoot in any match at any time during the Meeting unless otherwise specified. Firing to commence at 10 o'clock on each There will be an interval for Refresh-

ments at 12.30. Shooting in Competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10 respective highest scores in competi- & 15, to be completed at 2.30 p.m. each The Competitions Nos. 3, 7, & 8 will be fired between 3.3 and 4.30 o'clock on

Saturday, 20th April. Ranges have been detailed as follows :-All competitions at 200 yards Police Range. 300 , Military (Old Range.) 500 yerds—Friday—10.00 o 11.00, 3.30 to 6.00. Saturday-11.00 to 12.30, 1.30 to 3.30. Monday-10.30 to 11.00, 3.30 to

6.00. - New Military Range. 600 yards - Friday-11.00 to 12.30, 1.30 competitions Nos. 1, 5, 10, and 15 to 3.30. Saturday-10.00 to 11.00, 3.30 t make up the highest aggregates. En. 6.00. Monday-11.00 to 12.30, 1.30 to 3.30 8 н yards—Friday—10.00 to 11.00, 3.30 to 6.00. Saturday-11.00 to 12.30, 1.39 to Members whose respective highest 3.30. Monday-10.00 to 11.00, 3.30 to

900 yards—Friday—11.00 to 12.30, 1.30 to 3.30. Saturday-10.00 to 11.00, 3.30 to 32nd. - Army and Navy Agyregate. - Re- 6.00. Monday-11.00 to 12.30, 1.30 to Committee tent, where tickets and all information can be obtained, near Running-

man Target. The Committee reserve to themselves the right to alter the description of any of the prizes herein stated.

Persons wishing to join the H. R. Association should send their names, with that of proposer and seconder, to the Hon. Secretary not later than Wednesday, 17th April, 1889, at 4 o'clock p.m. Subscrip- 4 p.m. on the 24th April. tion 85. Ladies 81.

Members are reminded that they are not entitled to fire as such, or to the enjoyment of any privileges unless their subscriptions | 5 p.m. the day previous to miling. are paid before date of meeting. A. SHELTON HOOPER. Hon. Sccretary,

c/o Hongkong Club. Hongkong, 10th April, 1889,

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Hongkong, July 15, 1887.

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(1HE Steamship BELGIC will L despatched for San Francisco, Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 1 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama,

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ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to

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Hongkong, April 9, 1889.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

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IHE British Steamship BATAVIA, 2,553 Tons Register, Auto, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOU-VER, B.C., vid NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA (passing through the Inland

Sea), on THURSDAY, the 25th April, at To be followed by the S.S. PORT AUGUSTA on the 9th May, and S.S. PARTHIA, on the 23rd May. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points, by the regular Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and

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ada and the United States

Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

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Freight will be received on board until All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full: and the same will be received by us until For information as to Passage or Freight.

apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 11, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

BRINDISI, GENOA', ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS

BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, FALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON,

THE COMPANY'S STRANGES WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGIGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in WEDNESDAY, the 8th day May, 1889, at 4 p.m., the Company's

Steamship BAYERN Capt. J. MERGELL

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above, calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till 10 a.m., Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 8th May, 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the AGENCY'S Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has aplended Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

MELDHERS & Co., Agenta. Hongkong, April 15, 1989,

For further Particulars, apply to

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Breinsine of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven calling and interesting a

Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked he near the Kowloong shore ke, and there in the body of the

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked a. in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point 10. Kowloon Wharves.

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Rer Brita sic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

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Orion	twin-screw battle ship } 2nd class armored	4870	4	4040	Captain Hy. J. Carr Capt. Alexander G. Makechnie Singapore
Orontes Porpoise Rambler Rattier Satellite	troopship cruiser surveying vessel gunbost 1st class cruiser 3rd class	2271 1730 830 715 1420	6 3 6 8	1	Commander R. W. White Capt. The Hon. F. C. Vereker Lieut. Com. W. Maitl Dougall Captain T. P. W. Nesham Hongkong
Solent Swift Torpedo Boat No. 3	torpedo mining launch gun-vessel 2nd class	150 766 95	- -	1010	Com. The Hon. Richard Bingham Hongkong In poserve In reserve
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coast defence ship, armoured 2750 Wivern * Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. M. Ships' tounage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to B. M. News lists.

Poreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

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